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Serial No. 10/533,816

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Title: METHOD FOR INHIBITING YEAST GROWTH



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Date: February 6, 2006

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Sir:

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

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☐ Applicant claims "small entity" status. ☐ Statement filed herewith

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**Mail Stop Amendment**

Hon. Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the pending Office Action mailed January 4, 2006, entry and consideration of the following amendments and remarks are respectfully requested.

The **claims** are presented on pages 2-4.

Claim 9 is amended.

Claims 10-17 are added.

**Remarks** begin on page 5.